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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Toshio HATA et al.

Serial No.: 09/775,838

Filing Date: February 1, 2001

For: NITRIDE GALLIUM COMPOUND
SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT EMISSION
DEVICE

Examiner: T. Le

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated March 11, 2003 (Paper No. 13). The period for response continues from the Final Office Action (Paper No. 10) dated November 13, 2002 for which a response was due on February 13, 2003 and for which a two-month extension of time is requested to extend the time for response from February 13, 2003 to April 13, 2003 (a Sunday). Accordingly, this RCE and amendment are timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.